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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

KENNETH O. McELRATH ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/698,964

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For: FUEL CELL ELECTRODE COMPRISING
CARBON NANOTUBES

Confirmation No.: 8810

Group Art Unit: 1745

Examiner: Shermanda L. Williams

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CUSTOMER NO. 23720

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and is responsive to the Final Office Action having a mailing date of March 12, 2007 ("Final Office Action"), for which the three-month date for response is June 12, 2007.

Please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

If the PTO determines that any fees are required, please deduct them from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/3006.001800KG.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested. Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2. Remarks begin on page 5.